

IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

PRESENT: Supervisors _____ day _____, 20__

ABSENT:

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION COMMENDING MIKE WULKAN UPON HIS RETIREMENT AFTER TWENTY EIGHT YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND BUILDING

The following resolution is now offered and read:

WHEREAS, Mike Wulkan is retiring from the Department of Planning and Building after 28 years of dedicated and valued service; and

WHEREAS, Mike began his employment with the County on January 5, 1987 as an Associate Planner for Land Use Element/Land Use Ordinance and General Plan Amendments, played a lead role in preparation of the Noise Element and contributed to a variety of other planning efforts such as the Agriculture and Open Space Element, major annexations, and County responses to the formation of city redevelopment agencies.

WHEREAS, Mike was promoted to Senior Planner in June 4, 1992, and then to Supervising Planner in December 18, 2006; and

WHEREAS, during Mike’s 28 years he was the project manager for the Estero Area Plan update, was long-standing liaison to both the Los Osos Community Advisory Council and the Cayucos Citizens Advisory Council, and lead planner on the El Pomar - Estrella Area Plan update, which was approved more quickly than almost any other major area plan update.

WHEREAS, Mike’s oversight, supervision and direct involvement helped successfully guide projects such as the following:

Conservation/Open Space Element update; EnergyWise Plan; RMS Annual Summary Reports; Shandon Community Plan; Draft San Miguel Community Plan; Resource Capacity studies/implementation programs for the Nipomo, Los Osos, and Paso Robles groundwater basins; Framework for Planning Strategic Growth Implementation; and the Renewable Energy Streamlining Program.

WHEREAS, Mike played a leadership role and collaborated with the public, advisory councils, County departments, and other governmental agencies in planning for the long-term prosperity of our region, while striving to balance housing needs, the economy, and the environment.

WHEREAS, Mike’s years of experience in working with the County General Plan, as well as updating several plans, gave him the expertise to guide the reorganization of the Land Use and Circulation Element being worked on by his staff.

WHEREAS, Mike’s strong administrative skills were also evident in the recent completion of several Long Range Planning grant projects.

WHEREAS, Mike demonstrated a superior knowledge of the county's policies, ordinances and procedures and he displayed strong oral skills, objectivity, initiative, interpersonal skills, problem solving, decision making and tact and diplomacy in working with staff, applicants, agencies, and the public alike.

WHEREAS, Mike's 28 years of dedication to public services will be missed by all.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, that Mike Wulkan is hereby commended for his 28 years of conscientious service to the people of San Luis Obispo and is wished health, happiness, lots of train rides and many new adventures in the years to come.

Upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____, and on the following roll call vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINING:

the foregoing resolution is hereby adopted.

Chairperson of the Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

[SEAL]

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL EFFECT:

RITA NEAL County Counsel

By: _____ Deputy County Counsel

Dated: _____

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
) ss
County of San Luis Obispo)

I, _____, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in and for the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of an order made by the Board of Supervisors, as the same appears spread upon their minute book.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Board of Supervisors, affixed this _____ day of _____, 2015.

County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

(SEAL) By: _____ Deputy Clerk